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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Inoue YOSHIKI

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Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

For: HALFTONE DOT PRODUCING APPARATUS AND HALFTONE DOT PRODUCING  
PROGRAM STORAGE MEDIUM

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**Sir:**

**Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:**

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Page 16, line 27, please delete “Fig. 6 is a view” and insert --Figs. 6(A) and 6(B) are views--.

## REMARKS

Entry and consideration of this Amendment is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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